

REMARKS

Claims 1-15, 29-32, 34, 37, 39-43, 45, and 49-51 are now pending in the application. Claims 20-23, 61, and 65-67 are cancelled by this amendment. No claims are currently amended or newly added. The Examiner is respectfully requested to reconsider and withdraw the rejections in view of the amendments and remarks contained herein.

REJECTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 101

Claims 20-23, 61, and 65-67 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101 because the claimed invention is directed to non-statutory subject matter. Applicant has cancelled all these claims, thereby rendering this rejection moot.

ALLOWABLE SUBJECT MATTER

Applicant acknowledges that the Examiner has allowed claims 1-15, 29-32, 34, 37, 39-43, 45, and 49-51. Since the remaining claims in this application have been cancelled, the present application should now be in condition for allowance.

CONCLUSION

It is believed that all of the stated grounds of rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Applicant therefore respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw all presently outstanding rejections. It is believed that a full and complete response has been made to the outstanding Office

Action and the present application is in condition for allowance. Thus, prompt and favorable consideration of this amendment is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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